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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Chinese officials are believed to be playing with the powers to gain time to move Chinese forces. ——The government has arranged for postal facilities for troops sent to China. —— Col. Chas. F. Robe succeeds to command of the Ninth regiment. ——The government has taken measures to prevent exportation of arms to China. —— The revolutionary movement in Colombia has collapsed. —— It is denied that the Boxer movement has extended to Corea. —— Admiral Kempff tells the Navy Department that the Chinese government is paralyzed and secret edicts show it is in sympathy with the Boxers. —— Disorderly scenes in New Orleans followed the rioting Wednesday night. —— The government wants one hundred additional medical officers for service in China and the Philippines. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 1¼@1½ per cent.; cotton dull, middling uplands 10 1-16c.; flour dull, moderately active and steady; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 82⅝c; corn—spot steady, No. 2, 44⅞c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine weak at 44½@45c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 26

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 82 degrees; 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 89 degrees; minimum, 77 degrees; mean, 83 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .0; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .28.

Stage of water at 8 A. M. at Fayetteville 3.8 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Showers have fallen in all districts except the Charleston and Savannah, the greatest amounts being reported from the Memphis, New Orleans and Vicksburg sections. No material changes in temperature are reported.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—For North Carolina—Local rains Friday and Saturday, with cooler on the coast; light to fresh northerly winds.

Port Almanac---July 27.

Sun Rises	5.03 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.09 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 17 M.
High Water at Southport.	8.39 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington.	11.09 P. M.

The thirsty Chicagoans will have to worry along on less than 5,000 saloons, as 2,000 of the beer dispensaries will have to shut up on account of the raise in the price of beer.

It is reported that Li Hung Chang met with a cool reception at Shanghai. But this may be offset by the hot reception he may meet with from the Boxers, if he gets as far along as Pekin.

The Chinese Minister in Washington gets around on an automobile. The foreign ministers in Pekin, have, for some time been denied the privilege of going around on automobiles or anything else.

A semi-official statement from Washington says the Philippine war is nearer the end than is generally supposed. That's what we have been hearing ever since the islands were "pacified" about a year or so ago.

The Republicans are oganizing rough rider clubs. They are running the r. r. pretty strong, but they will have a great deal of rough riding to do before they insert all those teeth of Teddy Roosevelt in the Vice Presidential chair.

The New York *Sun* must be getting desperate. In discussing politics it incidentally refers to "the old Secession Confederacy." Perhaps it aspires to the distinction of again lugging out the bloody shirt, which was laid aside.

The New York Health Commissioners advise people not to fret about the weather nor think about the heat. Fretting about it will do no good, for the weather will do about as it pleases whether you like it or not. Don't think about the heat. Just imagine you have a rivulet of ice water running through you and keep cool.

The Philadelphia *Press* says that although there are 63,000 American soldiers in the Philippines, none of them can be spared to go to China on account of "treason" at home. Pshaw! We thought the rebellion was played out there and that only Aguinaldo and a few of his deluded followers were making any show of resistance to "benevolent assimilation."

An Atchison, Kansas, paper with pride mentions the fact that a woman who inadvertently left a pocketbook containing $168 in a chair in front of a hotel, returned in three hours and found the book with contents just where she left it. The passers-by probably thought some chap was putting up a stool pigeon bunco job on them, and let that pocketbook alone.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Attend the speaking to-night.

— Make New Hanover the banner county.

— Lacy and Bellamy on Market street to-night.

— Thursday, August 2nd, is election day. Make no mistake.

— The steamer *Oneida* came in from Georgetown, S. C., yesterday afternoon.

— Already thirty-one attractions have been booked by Manager Schloss for the next season at the Opera House.

— It is said that a company of one hundred Red Shirts will have a pic-nic at some point in Brunswick county on election day.

— The steamer *Southport* was temporarily disabled on her trip down the river yesterday afternoon and was towed back to the city by the *Imperial*.

— Election on Constitutional Amendment, for State and County officers, for members of the Legislature and Township officers, Thursday, August 2d.

— The annual excursion of the Sunday School of Southside Baptist Church was run to Carolina Beach yesterday on the steamer *Wilmington*, and was largely patronized. A very enjoyable day was spent by all.

— Friends in Wilmington yesterday received news of the death of Mr. Marsden Haigh, of Fayetteville, who soon after the sale of the old C. F. & Y. V. railroad, was employed here in a clerical position with the Atlantic Coast Line.

— Rupert Earl, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Willis, was buried yesterday morning in Bellevue cemetery. The funeral services were conducted from the family residence on Grant street between Queen and Wooster, Rev. J. H. Hall officiating.

— The schooner *St. Croix*, Capt. Stratton, arrived light yesterday from New York, and will be loaded by the Chadbourn Lumber Company. The schooner *R. G. Dun* cleared with a cargo of piling from Messrs. W. H. Robbins & Bro., consigned to parties at Reedy Island, Delaware.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Seacoast Road—Schedule.
A. C. L.—Schedule change.
New Savings Bank—You are invited

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Elliott, Jr., left last night for a visit to Canada.

— Mr. A. H. Shepard, A. C. L. agent at Florence, was here yesterday.

— Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy returned yesterday morning from Washington.

— Miss Hattye Burkheimer left yesterday for Newbern, to visit relatives.

— Mrs. W. R. Kenan and Miss Mary Lilly Kenan left last evening for Dansville, N. Y.

— Miss Willie Ennett and Miss May Whitney went to Burgaw last night to visit friends.

— Miss Addie Rasberry, of Goldsboro, returned to her home yesterday after visiting friends here.

— Messrs. W. H. Pemberton, Fayetteville; H. B. Short, Lake Waccamaw, and D. W. Millsaps, Lumberton, were among last evening's arrivals at The Orton.

— Mr. T. J. Hall, a popular young travelling man of Winston, N. C., representing Brown Brothers & Company, is in the city for a business trip of several days.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor, of Ahira, Ga., after a visit to relatives, left yesterday for home. Miss Calina Newell, their grand daughter, of Norfolk, accompanied them.

— Dr. E. G. Goodman, of El Paso, was a STAR visitor yesterday. He says the political situation in Brunswick is not so bad as reported, and that some of the townships will show Democratic gains for the Amendment and the State ticket.

Col. French to Speak.

Col. W. Foster French, of Lumberton, who has already spoken to Wilmingtonians in First Ward upon one occasion in this campaign, has been appointed by Chairman Simmons to speak here again next Monday night, July 30th. The hour and place for the speaking will be arranged by the County Executive Committee. He also will speak at St. Lewis, Edgecombe, to-day and at Fayetteville to-morrow. He will speak at Charlotte Tuesday.

Will Arrange Schedule.

The Executive Committee of the North Carolina Base Ball Association will meet in Raleigh to-night to arrange a schedule of games for the remainder of the season. It will also decide upon the game Wilmington protested at Durham, on account of the latter team having played Gilligan against the home team, when he had, previous to joining Durham, signed with Wilmington. Mr. Nixon Davis, who is a member of the committee, will not be able to attend the meeting, but will be represented by proxy.

A limited number of scholarships is being offered by Littleton Female College, Littleton, N. C., to young ladies without property preparing to teach who apply at once. The demand for teachers holding diplomas from this Institution has been increasing for several years and during the past year went beyond the supply. †

SHALL WE FORGET?

Infamous Slander Published by Manly in His Daily Record in 1898.

IT IS WELL REMEMBERED.

And Will Have Its Effect on White Men Next Thursday—It Is a Campaign Document Which Will Last for Ages—Read It Again.

As many seem to have forgotten the infamous assault made on the white women of North Carolina by the negro Manly in his paper, the *Daily Record*, in August, 1898, we reproduce it below. The editorial was headed "Mrs. Felton" and is as follows, the fourth paragraph being the one to which special attention is called:

"A Mrs. Felton, from Georgia, makes a speech before the Agricultural Society at Tybee, Ga., in which she advocates lynching as an extreme measure. This woman makes a strong plea for womanhood, and if the alleged crimes or rape were half so frequent as is oft-times reported, her plea would be worthy of consideration.

"Mrs. Felton, like many other so called Christians, loses sight of the basic principle of the religion of Christ in her plea for one class of people as against another. If a missionary spirit is essential for the uplifting of the poor white girls, why is it? The morals of the poor white people are on a par with their colored neighbors of like conditions, and if any one doubts the statement let him visit among them. The whole lump needs to be leavened by those who profess so much religion and showing them that the preservation of virtue is an essential for the life of any people.

"Mrs. Felton begins well, for she admits that education will better protect the girls on the farm from the assaulter. This we admit and it should not be confined to the white any more than to the colored girls. The papers are filled often with reports of rapes of white women, and the subsequent lynching of the alleged rapists. The editors pour forth volleys of aspersions against all negroes because of the few who may be guilty. If the papers and speakers of the other race would condemn the commission of crime because it is crime and not try to make it appear that the negroes were the only criminals, they would find their strongest allies in the intelligent negroes themselves, and together the whites and blacks would root the evil out of both races.

"We suggest that the whites guard their women more closely, as Mrs. Felton says, thus giving no opportunity for the human fiend, be he white or black. You leave your goods out of doors and then complain because they are taken away. Poor white men are careless in the matter of protecting their women, especially on farms. They are careless of their conduct toward them and our experience among poor white people in the country teaches us that the women of that race are not any more particular in the matter of clandestine meetings with colored men, than are the white men with colored women. Meetings of this kind go on for some time until the woman's infatuation or the man's boldness, bring attention to them and the man is lynched for rape. Every negro lynched is called a 'big, burly, black brute,' when in fact many of those who have thus been dealt with had white men for their fathers, and were not only not 'black' and 'burly' but were sufficiently attractive for white girls of culture and refinement to fall in love with them as is well known to all."

"Mrs. Felton must begin at the fountain head if she wishes to purify the stream.

"Teach your men purity. Let virtue be something more than an excuse for them to intimidate and torture a helpless people. Tell your men that it is no worse for a black man to be intimate with a white woman, than for a white man to be intimate with a colored woman.

"You set yourselves down as a lot of carping hypocrites; in fact you cry aloud for the virtue of your women while you seek to destroy the morality of ours. Don't think ever that your women will remain pure while you are debauching ours. You sow the seed—the harvest will come in due time."

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EASTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

Southern Union Meets To-day at Castle Haynes—The Programme.

The Southern Union of the Eastern Baptist Association will meet with the Castle Haynes Baptist Church to-day and will continue through Sunday. At 11 o'clock this morning the introductory sermon will be preached by Rev. J. J. Payseur, or Rev. R. E. Hewlett, of Wilmington, and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon there will be verbal reports by pastors and delegates. At 3 o'clock "The Destitution Within Our Bounds" will be discussed by N. A. Shelly and D. L. Gore. The programme for the remaining days of the meeting is as follows:

Saturday morning, 9:30 o'clock—Devotional service, Rev. L. B. Boney.
10 o'clock—"State Missions," Rev. R. H. Herring, Rev. J. H. Hildreth.
11 o'clock—"Orphanage," Rev. C. S. Blackwell, D. D., Rev. M. C. Walton.
Saturday afternoon, 2 o'clock—"Christian Giving," Rev. J. J. Payseur, J. S. Canady, C. Harrell.
Sunday—Sunday School Mass Meeting and preaching.

Divine Service at Wrightsville.

On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Rev. Robert Strange will have morning prayer and preach at Lebanon Chapel, Wrightsville. The public is cordially invited.

Round trip tickets to Wilson, N. C., from all points in North Carolina, at low rates for the North Carolina State Farmers' Conference, August 1st, by the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

CASE OF CONSPIRACY.

Interesting Trial Before Justice Fowler Yesterday—Several Defendants Discharged and Others Held.

The trial of the six white men charged with conspiracy against Geo. Musselwhite, the carpenter, living on Dock between Front and Second streets, reference to which was made in yesterday's STAR, was called before Justice Fowler at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and all were discharged except W. Tate Croom and his son, Tom Croom, there being absolutely no evidence against the others. The cases of the two mentioned above were left open until 9:30 o'clock this morning when further testimony for the State and witnesses for the defendants will be introduced. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., is counsel for the defendants.

Mr. Musselwhite is a carpenter and moved here about a year ago from Elizabethtown and has always borne a good character. He occupied with his family the fourth floor of a tenement house in the locality mentioned and the Croom family occupied the third. The testimony introduced yesterday was that about 8 o'clock Sunday night while Musselwhite's family was visiting at Southport a negro woman who had been cooking for the family, accompanied by another colored woman, came to Musselwhite's apartments to borrow some oil; that while up there they asked Mr. Musselwhite for a part of a watermelon in the room and that after eating it they started down stairs and were assaulted by a number of white men, who accused them of illicit relations with the white man not only on this but on previous occasions. The Crooms protested because of the disgrace to them, living under the same roof and W. T. Croom and his son, Tom, were recognized in the crowd by the women, who were "used up" badly but succeeded in escaping to the street. Later a call was made on Musselwhite and he was ordered to leave the city within twenty-four hours. Musselwhite stoutly maintained his innocence and his demeanor at the trial lent support to his statement. He proved a good character by several men who had known him for some time.

The case will be concluded this morning.

The peace warrant sworn out against several persons thought to have been implicated in the affair was subsequently tried before Justice McGowan and dismissed at the cost of Musselwhite.

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FAMOUS BATTLE GROUND.

Directors of Moore's Creek Monumental Association Met at Currie Yesterday. May Purchase Lillington Hall.

The annual meeting of the directors of the Moore's Creek Monumental Association was held yesterday at Currie, and there was a very large attendance. The meeting was called in order to transact routine business and to decide upon several matters of importance which were before them. Bruce Williams, Esq., of Burgaw, who is vice president of the Association attended the business session yesterday and told a STAR reporter that the most important matter decided upon was the appointment of a committee to ask the Legislature to amend their charter in order that they may purchase the old Lillington Hall, near Rocky Point. The remains of General Lillington are buried there and the place was headquarters of the Colonial leaders in the State in Revolutionary times. They are very anxious to incorporate that historic spot in their valuable possessions.

The big celebration will not be held until the date of the anniversary of the famous battle, which is February 27th. The grounds at the present do not afford the necessary conveniences and comforts for the large number of people who would attend the celebration. The directors will endeavor to have everything in perfect readiness before the next anniversary occasion. If the bill which is now pending in Congress, asking for $10,000 to be used in beautifying and preserving the cemetery, passes that body, they will have sufficient funds to carry out their plans fully.

All the old officers were re-elected. They are as follows: Jas. F. Moore, president; Bruce Williams, vice president; R. P. Paddison, secretary; Geo. J. Moore, treasurer. The above are all from Pender county.

The Speaking To-night.

A large crowd should hear Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and Hon. B. R. Lacy on Market street between Seventh and Eighth to-night, beginning at 8.30 o'clock. Mr. Bellamy has recently concluded a very extensive tour of western counties, and spent a part of this week in Washington, D. C. He will have interesting news for the people, and everybody should be present to hear him. Mr. Lacy has many warm friends in Wilmington who have known him for years and he made many new ones upon the occasion of his visit here with the other State nominees in May. He spoke yesterday at Fayetteville and will come to Wilmington this evening.

Tickets on sale July 30th, 31st and August 1st, good until August 10th, inclusive, for the North Carolina State Farmers' Conference at Wilson August 1st, by the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday by Teams of the North Carolina Base Ball Association—The Official Score.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Raleigh vs. Durham, (rain).
Tarboro, 4; Charlotte, 5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Charlotte at Raleigh.
Wilmington at Statesville.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Tarboro	14	8	.636
Charlotte	11	8	.578
Durham	12	9	.571
Raleigh	9	12	.428
Wilmington	6	10	.375
Statesville	4	9	.307

[*Special Star Telegrams.*]

TARBORO, N. C., July 26.—Charlotte downed the champions again to-day in a close and interesting game that was not won until the last man was out. Tarboro's left fielder played short and had an off day, making our errors; otherwise both teams fielded well. The pitching of Malcolm and Voorhees was good. Radcliffe caught well. No runs were scored until the sixth inning. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Tarboro	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	4	8	5
Charlotte	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	5	10	2

Batteries, Voorhees and Radcliffe; Malcolm and Cuddy.
Umpire Pippen.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Ex-Governor Jarvis Here—Speaking at Burgaw To-day—First Ward Club Will Meet To-night.

Chairman Bennett has called an urgent meeting of the First Ward White Supremacy Club, to be held to-night at 7 o'clock in Hibernian Hall. White men from other sections of the city are also cordially invited to be present. The hour is named early, so the club can go in a body to the speaking on Market street.

The Second Regiment Band will leave this morning on the northbound train for Burgaw where they will furnish music for the big Democratic rally there. Mr. Aycock will be given a royal welcome and Pender county Democrats will do themselves proud. On Saturday, as stated in yesterday's STAR, Mr. Aycock will go to Clinton to speak to the white men of Sampson.

Ex-Governor Jarvis spent yesterday in the city, returning from Bladen and Cumberland counties. He spoke day before yesterday to a large crowd at Centreville and to-day he will speak at a big barbecue and basket picnic at Grindool, Pitt county, and to-night at Plymouth. He concludes his tour of speaking the day before the election in Washington and Tyrell counties. Mr. Jarvis has been doing valiant work in the campaign but has borne up remarkably well. He says it is now not a question "Will the Amendment carry?" but by "How large a majority?" He is as enthusiastic as of yore and his work will tell next Thursday in the counties he has visited.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 26.—The game between the Raleigh and Durham teams here to-day was called off no account of rain. The new Charlotte "champions" will come for a game here to-morrow afternoon and then they go on Saturday afternoon for a game with Durham. Monday they meet the Wilmington "Sailors" for the first of a series of three games.

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WILMINGTON AT STATESVILLE.

Ball Team Left Yesterday Morning—Mr. Summersgill Leaves the Club.

The Wilmington base ball team left yesterday morning on the A. and Y. for Statesville, where they play to-day and to-morrow. The following were in the party: Gwaltney, Foster, Henley, Allen, Wills, McBride, Gilligan, Stearns, Rea and Collier. Mr. Dawson Latham went along with the team to act in the capacity of assistant manager. Mr. H. T. Summersgill, who has been one of the players on the team and did good work, has withdrawn from the club and will return to Charlottesville, Va., to day to resume his course in medicine at the University of Virginia. Mr. Summersgill made many friends during his stay here who will deeply regret his departure.

Charged With Larceny.

David Brown and Conductor Tyson, two colored rivermen, were before Justice Fowler yesterday on the charge of larceny in that they picked up in the river and sold some floating timber belonging to W. H. Robbins & Bro. They were found not guilty and discharged upon a technicality. The need of stringent and definite laws touching this class of offences is becoming daily more apparent.

Club Frolic To-night.

The Atlantic Club will give one of its enjoyable dances at the club house to-night. The committee in charge is doing everything possible to make the occasion a notable success. Good music will be furnished. There will be a late train, leaving the beach at 11 o'clock.

GREAT DAY IN DUPLIN

Impressive and Formidable Demonstration by the Democracy at Kenansville.

THE MARCH FROM WARSAW.

Procession Two Miles Long—Great Cavalcade of Red Shirts—A Lesson to Fusionists—Speakers — Meeting at Clinton Saturday.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 26.—A special to the *News and Observer* says this has been a Red Shirt day in Duplin and no such political demonstration has ever been enacted as was witnessed at Kenansville, The recent arrest and trial of Dick Williams, registrar, has aroused the county from border to border. The coming of Aycock into the county to day furnished the Democrats the opportunity to manifest their interest and enthusiasm. It was the greatest crowd that ever assembled in Duplin and it was the most demonstrated gathering that has come together during this campaign in any part of the State. The march from Warsaw to Kenansville, a distance of ten miles, was one grand continuous swell of hurrahs and cheers. The procession, when it landed in Kenansville, was two miles long. There was a measured mile of mounted Red Shirts, marching two abreast. They had come in battalions from Warsaw, Wallace, Faison, Rose Hill, Magnolia and Chinquepin.

Impressive Scene.

It was the most impressive and formidable scene that has been witnessed in this section of the State. It taught the Fusionists a lesson that they had been refusing to learn. Duplin county is safe for the Amendment and the ticket by six to eight hundred majority, and all attempts at intimidation cannot change it, or affect it, except to make the majority greater.

Aycock added another gem to his crown of matchless oratory and won the crowd in an hour's powerful speech. They wanted the "Pure stuff, straight from the shoulder," and they got it.

"Can Butler or his cohorts intimidate such men and women as these or their sons or daughters?" asked Mr. Aycock, and a thundering "No" came from ten thousand throats.

Hon. F. A. Woodward preceded Mr. Aycock in one of the best speeches of the campaign. Neither Mr. Aycock nor Mr. Woodard were among strangers. The Duplin county people know and love them both.

Mr. B. F. Aycock, Democratic nominee for the State Senate, was present, and in response to a continued call of several minutes he arose and gave them one of the effective speeches for which he is noted.

Foretells a Great Victory.

Dr. Faison, of Faison, was called out by the cavalcade of Red Shirts, and, arrayed in a red shirt himself, he made a spirited speech.

The meeting at Kenansville was another one of those mammoth county gatherings that has for weeks and weeks been foretelling a great victory for white supremacy on Thursday next.

Dr. Faison called for Red Shirt volunteers to meet Aycock at Clinton Saturday and a great crowd of nearly four hundred volunteered.

THE ELKS AND PYTHIANS.

Will Play Game of Ball To-morrow for Benefit Athletic Association.

For those who have tired of what they call "wicked professional ball," a treat is in store in a match game between the Elks and Pythians on the Hilton diamond to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The game will be for the benefit of the Wilmington Athletic Association and should be liberally patronized, not for this purpose alone but because it will be a game "rich, rare and racy."

Mr. R. W. Wallace will be in the box for the Elks probably and equally as renowned a pitcher will twirl the sphere for the Pythians. The admission will be 25 cents; ladies free.

The line up of the two teams will be announced to-morrow.

New Disease Of Dogs.

Dr. Thomas B. Carroll, veterinary surgeon, has recently made investigation of a disease which is killing many dogs in the city and which appears to be epidemic with the canine race. In the cavities of the hearts of several of the animals upon which Dr. Carroll has performed a post mortem examination he has found a species of parasite in the form of a long worm. The heart is affected to such an extent that the lower jaw is paralyzed and death results in from two to three days. A sample of the parasite found has been forwarded by Dr. Carroll to Dr. Hassell, of Washington, with request for a preventative. It is believed that in many cases dogs have been killed for hydrophobia when they were only affected with the complaint discovered by Dr. Carroll.

Message of Sorrow.

A telegram received in the city yesterday morning brought news of the death of the wife of Mr. James O'Connor, of Chicago, a nephew of Major D. O'Connor, of this city, who with his family left this week to spend a short time with him in honor of his recent marriage to the young wife which has just died. Maj. O'Connor and family had not reached Chicago when the telegram was sent and their visit will be made one of sorrow rather than joy as was anticipated.

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THE GUARDIAN SECURITY, TRUST AND DEPOSIT CO, OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
jy 27 1f F. W. DICK, Cashier.

STATE CHAIRMAN SIMMONS.

Letter from Senator Money—The Civil Service Commissioners—Mr. Simmons' Letter to the President.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 26.—State Chairman Simmons to-day received a letter from Senator Money, at Washington, in which he says: "I received your letter enclosing a copy of the statement made to the President concerning pernicious activity of Federal employes in the State canvass. I spent some time this morning with the Civil Service Commissioners, trying to ascertain to what extent they had authority to interfere in the matter. We went over the different statutes and regulations. I enclose you the executive order issued in 1898, although I presume you have a copy of it. Some of the departments, I understand, have issued similar orders to their employes. The case you mention of the United States attorney is a very gross one, and should have immediate attention. The Civil Service Commissioners had received but had not read your letter to them when I called to see them. They will ask for affidavits to support the statements made therein. I do not recollect what date the election comes off, but I fear they will have little time to do anything. If there can be proven such flagrant violations of the civil service rules as appear in your statement, then the commission will demand the removal of the offenders from office.

"The commission promised me to write you very fully upon the subject, and I hope they will do so to-day. The President is not in the city or I would call upon him. He is not expected here for some time."

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ENTHUSIASM AT KINSTON.

Grand Democratic Rally—Five Thousand People Present—The Procession.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

GOLDSBORO, N. C., July 26.—At least five thousand people were present to-day at Kinston at the grand Democratic rally. Edward W. Pou spoke for more than two hours and many who heard him say the speech was the greatest speech delivered there for many years. Some of the leaders pronounce it the finest speech they have heard since the days of Vance. The procession was one mile long, consisting of beautiful floats, mounted Red Shirts and a number of Kinston's fairest young ladies on horseback. Several hundred ladies from different sections of Lenoir graced the occasion by their presence and enthusiasm. Booming cannon as well as Red Shirts added enthusiasm to the great gathering. Eastern North Carolina is stirred as never before by the amendment and the county of Lenoir will give a large majority for the measure.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. E. Hinnant, No. 6 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C.

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20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT AND FREE STORAGE TILL OCT. 1ST.

The majority of my customers are at the Seashore or the Mountains, hence my sales for balance of season must be made to the few "stay-at-homes" and excursionists, and in order to stimulate trade I will sell all my higher grade goods at 20 per cent. discount from spot cash prices and give free storage till October 1st. Those who contemplate house-keeping or matrimony can save by this offer enough to pay at least a month's house rent.

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Furniture and Furniture Novelties,
No. 17 South Front Street.
jy 22 tf

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The Dickinson House and Lot, corner Front and Chesnut streets, fronting 141 feet on Front street and running back the same width on Chesnut street 182 feet to alley.

Also, all of Block 290.

Also, lots 7 and 8 and part lots 5 and 6 in Block 303.

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On and after June 14, 1900, the schedule will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6.30 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	10.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	9.00 P. M.

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Club House dances the last train will leave the Beach at 11 P. M. instead of 10.00.

Freight will be carried only on the 10.10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.30 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and FREIGHT PREPAID. Freights must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.

jy 10 tf R. O. GRANT, Supt.

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Continued dry weather has burnt up the fields.

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It will be your profit to call or write

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We have special "drives" in other kinds also. You are cordially invited and requested to call and examine these, as well as our whole stock, before buying elsewhere.

Respectfully,

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Fancy Peaches For Cream.

Try them and get the best.

Bananas, Pears, Oranges, Apples, Plums and Pineapples.

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500	Second Hand Machine Casks.
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10,000	Pounds Hoop Iron.
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30,000	Pounds D. S. Sides and Plates.
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400	Packages Candy and Crackers.

Also, consignment of Nice N. C. Hams. We solicit your patronage.

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jy 26 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Attention, Democrats!

Hon. B. R. Lacy, candidate for State Treasurer, and Hon. John D. Bellamy will address the citizens of New Hanover, on Market street between Seventh and Eighth,

Friday night, July 27th, at 8.30 o'clock.

Seats will be provided in the tournament grand stand, and the public is cordially invited. E. F. JOHNSON, Chairman.
W. A. WRIGHT, Secretary. jy 26 2t

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	4	7:13 p. m.	Third Quarter	19	0:31 a. m.
Full Moon	12	8:22 a. m.	New Moon	26	8:43 a. m.

The Morning Star

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 27, 1900.

For President:
WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President:
ADLAI E. STEVENSON, of Illinois.

For White Supremacy.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

Lieutenant-Governor:
WILFRED D. TURNER, of Iredell.

Secretary of State:
J. BRYAN GRIMES of Pitt.

Treasurer:
BENJAMIN R. LACY of Wake.

Auditor:
B. F. DIXON, of Cleveland.

Attorney-General:
ROBERT D. GILMER, of Haywood.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing:
H. B. VARNER of Davidson.

Corporation Commissioners:
FRANKLIN M'NEILL, of New Hanover.
SAMUEL L. ROGERS of Macon.

Superintendent Public Instruction:
THOMAS F. TOON of Robeson.

Commissioner of Agriculture:
SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell.

For Judge of the Tenth District:
W. B. COUNCILL of Watauga.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator, 10th District:
GEORGE L. MORTON.

House of Representatives:
GEORGE ROUNTREE,
MARTIN S. WILLARD.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

For Sheriff:
FRANK H. STEDMAN.

Register of Deeds:
WM. H. BIDDLE.

Treasurer:
H. McL. GREEN.

Coroner:
WM. F. STOKES.

Surveyor:
JOSEPH H. McREE.

Constable—Wilmington Township:
WILLIAM SHEEHAN, Sr.

FROM A POPULIST'S STANDPOINT.

Two of the strongest presentations in favor of the constitutional amendment, the first from a Republican and the second from a Populist standpoint, have been made by A. A. Campbell, of Cherokee, a former Republican member of the Legislature, and George Boggs, of Haywood county, a Populist. The former cited numerous quotations from the State papers of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson on the subject of suffrage and from Lincoln, Johnson, Grant, Hayes and Garfield on negro suffrage, showing that none of these favored unqualified suffrage. We noticed this paper some time ago and the application the author made of the extracts from the messages cited in defence of the amendment restricting negro suffrage. He contended that Grant, Johnson, Hayes and Garfield were better Republicans than Pritchard, Adams, Holton & Co., who are telling Republicans that restricted suffrage is in opposition to Republican principles.

Mr. Boggs, in a letter to the Charlotte *Observer*, views it from a different standpoint, and in doing so answers some of the objections and assertions made by the Marion Butler and other Populist opponents of the amendment. After speaking of the necessity of doing something to secure the rule of the intelligent and competent, if we would prevent the degradation and decay of the State, he says:

"In voting the Africans are absolutely controlled by prejudice and association. They can no more divest themselves of this control than water can rise above its source. And this indisputable fact shows them to be incapable of using the ballot without doing infinite mischief to themselves as well as to the white race.

Some hastily state that the smallness of the vote in some of the Southern States that have adopted amendments proves that many of the white voters are disfranchised and that the adoption of the amendment in our State will have the same effect with us. Careful investigation, however, shows that the allegation is not true. South Carolina has adopted an amendment limiting suffrage much more rigidly than it it will be in our State if the proposed amendment is adopted, and yet the plain people continue in control of the State. The smallness of the vote in Louisiana at the last State election is often referred to, but the light vote can in a good measure be accounted for by the prevalence of a severe storm throughout the State, which made it impracticable for many to reach the polls. Despite this hinderance 78,000 voted out of a voting population of 133,000. The percentage of votes cast at State elections in Northern States is frequently no larger. In the State election in Connecticut in 1890 one-third of the registered voters did not vote. In Massachusetts the same year but little over one-half of the registered voters voted.

"But whatever may be said of the light vote in Louisiana the fact remains that of the 135,000 of the native white voting population 121,000 are registered and have a right to vote.

"But there are special reasons for lighter votes for the present in those Southern States that are being emancipated from the burden and curse of a prejudiced negro vote. This reason is that the fear and apprehension awakened by an irresponsible African vote have banded together, as with hopes of steel, nearly the entire white population. For this cause the names of candidates are decided in 'primary elections.' And the gravest matters of policy are also practically settled in the same way. Thus the 'primary elections' have, to all intents and purposes, taken the place of those in which all citizens may participate. To them the white electors crowd, the invalids even being taken in hacks and carriages as I personally witnessed recently during a most exciting contest in South Carolina. And, therefore, having practically settled everything in the primaries, they can hardly feel the necessity for doing more. The urgent entreaties of their own candidates fail to bring them a second time from their business engagements. Hence the vote at the general elections is light, and will remain so for a time.

"The same apprehensions have forced into one political party nearly all the Anglo-Saxon of the South. Remove this fear and men of the white race will be left free in future to follow each his own convictions as to policies of the gravest moment. Such questions are sure to arise from time to time. And when they do, the men best fitted to govern ought to be free to take sides.

"But so long as the black cloud of African suffrage hangs over us, other issues, no matter how important they may be, will necessarily be remanded to the background. And thus it comes to pass that in the South the fundamental principle of free government—alternating control by rival parties and opposing policies—is practically suspended.

"None need fear that, by limiting the ballot in the manner now under discussion, we will be giving an unlimited lease of power to any party. On the contrary, we will remove a barrier to freedom of action among white voters, and thereby give to all parties and all policies full scope to show whatever there is in them of wisdom—or of folly. That opportunity we have not now in the South, nor can we have it under present conditions. GEO. E. BOGGS.

"Haywood County, N. C."

Marion Butler, Cyrus Thompson, and the organs which they control, echoing them, assert that the amendment will disfranchise white men in this State, as they say the restricted suffrage in South Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana has done. They assert this as a fact, when there is not a particle of truth in it, for in none of these States is a single white native disfranchised, nor any other white man unless of the dangerous or criminal class, as in the case of the Italians in Louisiana, who supplied the membership of the Mafia band of assassins. To exclude that dangerous and undesirable element a property qualification was inserted in the amendment which excluded them but admitted the better class of Italians.

How little ground there is for the assertion that white men are disfranchised is shown by the registration called by Mr. Boggs showing that in Louisiana out of 125,000 white voters 121,000 are registered. He also shows by comparison that the vote in those States where restricted suffrage prevails is as heavy or heavier than in some of the Northern States at ordinary elections. He also notes the fact that in all these referred to the primary system prevails and that the endorsement of a candidate by these is, ordinarily speaking, equivalent to a nomination and an election, unless there should be some complication that would put two or more rival candidates in the field. Where there is little opposition there is but little to stimulate excitement at elections, and the consequence generally is a light vote.

But one of the very best proofs that these suffrage laws are acceptable to the white people of those States is their silent acquiescence. If white men were disfranchised wouldn't we hear of some protest by them and some public disapproval of the law that deprived them of their ballot? White men do not silently submit to wrong and to being deprived of the privilege of having a voice in the government under which they live. Who has ever heard of a meeting of white men in Louisiana, Mississippi or South Carolina to protest against these laws or to move for their appeal? There has been no such protest and there will be none, for there is no occasion for it. The fact is these laws are cordially endorsed by the white men of those States, and are now cheerfully acquiesced in by the disfranchised negroes, who feel more contented than they ever were, for being out of politics they have ceased to be harassed by politicians. That's the report we have from these States, not from one but from many sources.

A St. Louis paper says there is a girl in that town who "can't look at a boiled shirt hanging on a line without flirting with it." There are lots of colored folks down in this section that couldn't do that, and they have very taking ways too.

Ex-Senator Peffer, of Kansas, has returned to the Republican party and carried his hair and whiskers with him.

DON'T TELL THE COLORED BROTHER.

It would be amusing if it was not disgusting to see the way the Populist machine in Raleigh is giving the colored ally the cold shoulder while it is using him all it can to secure votes for Marion Butler's candidates for the Legislature.

The following is a copy of a circular received at Fayetteville a few days ago, which we find in the *Observer*, for which, however, it was evidently not intended:

Hon. Cyrus Thompson will speak at Fayetteville, in your county, on July 28th. The various township chairmen and precinct committeemen are being notified of this fact to-day, and we bespeak your best efforts to secure for the speaker a good audience. He has something to say that will interest every one who hears it. Give your neighbor a cordial invitation to go out.

I would suggest that no effort be made to secure the attendance of the colored voters.

Posters announcing the speaking are sent you by this mail.

Yours respectfully,
HAL. W. AYER, Vice Chairman.
R. B. DAVIS, Secretary.

Why are these miserable tricksters so anxious to keep the negroes away from their meetings? Do the negroes embarrass them by their presence, by making their meetings look more like negro than white men's meetings and thus making respectable Populists feel out of place? Cyrus Thompson and the rest of them are making speeches for the negro, appealing to the negroes and to white voters against the effort to establish and perpetuate white supremacy in North Carolina, and yet they try to keep the negro away from their meetings, to fool the white Populists who object to fraternizing with the negro.

All the time these sneaks are doing this Marion Butler has been fusing with the negroes, and urging his followers to fuse with them, to secure the election of men to the Legislature who will vote to return him to the Senate and give him another $30,000 pull. Can people with an ordinary amount of common sense be fooled by such cheap, transparent trickery?" Not much.

GOOD ADVICE FROM THE PULPIT

There is a negro preacher in this State, formerly of South Carolina, who on account of his plain, blunt style of preaching is called the Black Sam Jones. He is at present located in Winston, where he delivered a sermon last Sunday, the substance of which is thus given by a correspondent of the Charlotte *Observer*:

"Rev. A. McLees, 'Black Sam Jones,' preached a sermon to his congregation here on 'The Political Condition of the Negro; or the Gospel in Negro Politics.' He said his race had been slaves to the Republican party for many years; that had the negroes divided their votes between the two great parties, they would have been far better off. He avised the negroes to go out of politics, saying it would be better and more manly for them to walk out rather than be kicked out, as they would be. His advice was well received by the intelligent and thinking members of his congregation. There were a few who took issue with him on his views. The pastor is a native of South Carolina and admits that the negroes of that State are far better off than those of North Carolina, just because they do not vote or meddle in politics."

This isn't the usual style of preaching that the negro congregations as accustomed to, and possibly a good many of those who listened to it did not like it, but it was good preaching all the same—good for their souls as well as for their bodies, good for their souls because if followed it would keep those who followed it out of much bad company and out of much devilment, and good for the body because the time they now throw away on politics and in doing the bidding of their bosses they could devote to their own business and thus very materially promote their own welfare.

If all the colored preachers in the State were as levelheaded as this "Sam Jones" and talked as plainly and sensibly as he does, the negroes of this State would be incomparably better off than they are.

About two years ago a young man named Durant, in San Francisco, was tried and convicted of the murder of a girl, and was suspected of the murder of another. The case went from court to court and all the expedients that his lawyers knew anything about were resorted to to save him, but he was finally hanged, protesting his innocence. Recently the pastor of the church in which the girl's body was found died and confessed that it was he who had killed both of the girls, and it was his testimony principally that convicted Durant.

Dr. Harris, head of the national bureau of education, estimates that there are now in this country over 15,000,000 school children.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong, I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles 10c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store; every bottle guaranteed. †

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ARE RESPECTED WHERE THEY DESERVE IT.

In a letter to the Philadelphia *Press*, Republican, Booker T. Washington, who is devoting his life-work to the elevation of his race, in speaking of the relations between the races in the South, says:

"In any case I have not seen a single colored man who had secured intellectual and moral properties, and had a high character, who did not have the respect and confidence of the white people where he lived."

This is the testimony not of a white man, but of a colored man, who has made the race problem the study of his life, one who has written much, talked much and spoken to audiences white and black in every Southern State, as well as in the North. He speaks from experience and observation.

In commenting upon this the Philadelphia *Record* says:

"On the whole, it has long been observed that well behaved colored men are much better treated in the South than in the North. The negroes will be treated better still in both regions when they shall cease to be used as mere voting cattle by one party at the expense of the other."

The well behaved negro is better treated in the South than in the North, and for that matter all negroes are who do not forfeit kind consideration by criminal conduct, because the Southern people understand them better and do not fear to compromise their standing by friendly treatment. But the average negro seems to have lived in total ignorance of this, and has permitted himself year after year for a generation or more to be arrayed against the better class of the white people by mercenary schemers, from whom he had nothing to expect after the service rendered and who had no more use for him after election day than a jackal has for the bones of the animal he feeds upon.

The ratification of the Constitutional Amendment will be a godsend to the negro, for in eliminating him from politics it will save him from the jackals.

Mrs. Meyer wants to be Governor of Illinois. She belongs to the Dem-Rep-Pop-Prohib. party, and runs on a one plank platform which declares for "The honor and glory of God, and the true benefit and prosperity of all the people." A pretty good platform. Too good for Illinois, which hasn't yet had missionary work enough done in it.

TWINKLINGS.

— "What's the size of Morocco's standing army?" "About 25,000." "Moor or less, I suppose."—*Cleveland Plain-Dealer.*

— Teacher—"What do you know of the microbe family?" Little Maudie—"Please, ma'am, mamma has forbidden us to gossip about other people's family affairs."—*Tit-Bits.*

— Of Family Affairs: "Do you think this nation could civilize the Philippines?" "Well, we ought to put in some faithful practice on St. Louis first."—*Chicago Record.*

— Fair Painter—"I hope you don't mind my sketching in your field?" Farmer—"Lord, no, missie! You keep the birds off the peas better'n a' ordinary scarce crow."—*Tit Bits.*

— "That tall man seems to be the busiest person around the establishment. What does he do?" "It is his duty to see whether the others are working or not."—*Chicago Times-Herald.*

— Financial Tommy: Ma—"Tommy, you seem to love pa more than you do me." Tommy—"Oh, ma, I don't mean to; but, y' see, pa allus has his pockets full o' nickels."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

— "Since old Smith died the family has lost it's good old name." "Why?" "That's it, exactly." "What's it?" "'Y.' The young folks call themselves 'Smyth' now."—*Philadelphia Record.*

— "The doctor who makes a practice of telling his men patients that they work their brains too hard, and his women patients that nothing but their will keeps them up, is bound to succeed."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Feminine Intuition: Mistress—'Jane, you may clear away the breakfast dishes and put the house in order. I am going to my dressmaker's to have a new gown fitted." Jane—"Yes, ma'am. Are you going to take your latchkey, or shall I sit up for you?"

— Jess—"I don't believe Mrs. Sweet has any too much confidence in her husband." Bess—"Why?" Jess—"Before she went away for the summer, she engaged board for him in Brooklyn."—*Harlem Life.*

— All They Wanted: "Our amateur theatricals were a great success, weren't they?" "Oh, yes! every one of you had enough particular friends to convince you that you were the best one in them."—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

— A Wise Parent—Miss Summit—"It's remarkable that Lord Pace-Pelham, who married Clara Van Antler, should still be devoted to her at the end of five years." Miss Palisade—"Oh, I don't know. You remember her father settled her dowry on the installment plan."—*Life.*

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blothes, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a rundown invalid. Only 50 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

The East Carolina Real Estate Agency will sell for cash, or will exchange for desirable house and lot in Wilmington, a farm of 373 acres, three miles from Rose Hill. Address R. G. Grady & Co., Burgaw, N.C. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: Growing crops in Stokes county have been considerably damaged by hailstorms.

— Clinton *Democrat*: On account of wholesale refusal of appointees to serve as registrars in Lisbon township, it is said that only a small percentage of the voters of that township are registered this year.

— Chatham *Record*: On last Monday night lightning struck the barn of Mr. John A. Thompson, in Baldwin township and killed his son, Robert, twenty-one years old, besides killing a cow and mule and destroying his entire barn.

— Durham *Sun*: Silas Weaver, colored, who ran a government still and resided about five and a half miles from Durham, was struck by lightning Monday evening and killed. Weaver was sitting in a window asleep when the sudden flash came that did its destructive work.

— Kinston *Free Press*: There had been a wonderful change in Kinston township. Whereas this township last year gave only about 40 Democratic majority, next Thursday it will give 500 to 600, and if the Democrats will pull off their coats and go to work, it is possible to carry Kinston township by 700 majority. The wonderful change is due to many negroes not qualifying as electors and to increase in the white population.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The little two-year old daughter of our good friend Mr. Jno. C. Smith, of Pikeville section, toddled out of the yard Monday afternoon, observed, and wandered out into the woods near by, and when she was missed great consternation seized the entire family; search was at once instituted, all the neighbors joining in. Joy at length came with the finding of the little one, about 10 o'clock at night, deep in the woods, lying prone on her face, exhausted and asleep, and unharmed.

— Charlotte *News*: Mr. Clarence Keuster, who got in Tuesday night from a trip down the air line, was telling this morning of a safe blowing and post office robbery which occurred Sunday night at Grover. The post office is in the store of Mr. C. F. Hambright. A Mr. Hambright, but not the owner of the store, is post master. The post office money and stamps were kept in the safe in Mr. C. F. Hambright's store. The store was opened and the safe blown open about 2 a. m. The robbers cleaned out the safe, getting about $200, $80 of which was in stamps. The safe was blown literally to pieces. There is no clue to the robbery.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The "white man's burden" assumed by John Bull when he tackled the Boers now reaches the total of $380,000,000. It cannot be said that the world appreciates Great Britain's sacrifice in behalf of humanity.—*Baltimore Herald, Ind.*

—— With reference to the proposed restriction of the suffrage in North Carolina, the Philadelphia Record makes no bones of saying: "It would be well to have such a disqualification for illiterate blacks in Pennsylvania and every other State.—*Richmond Dispatch, Dem.*

—— It is very evident from Governor Roosevelt's speeches that he has great contempt for people who are too weak to resist successfully the mighty upon whom his Lord of Battles has bestowed this earth. He, too, wishes to have his policy of "blood and iron." Yet defence of the weak against the strong has always been regarded heretofore as one of the highest traits of individual as well as national magnanimity.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— "If Mr. McKinley," says the New York *World*, "would withdraw from the Philippines, send his army to rescue the foreigners in Pekin and then bring all our own people home, to war in the Orient no more, is there a single American citizen who in the bottom of his heart would not approve and rejoice?" Possibly not, but this country is not being run to please mere American citizens. What would the trusts and monopolies and corporations think about such a movement? That is the question.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

WHO FIRST MADE GLASS?

Its Manufacture Can Be Traced Back Four Thousand Years.

The invention of glass has been hitherto popularly ascribed to the Phœnicians. Mr. Ludwig Grote, however, states that this is not the case. Mr. Grote points out that another hypothesis on the same subject is equally untenable—namely, "Flavius Josephus," who ascribes the discovery of glass to the Jews, as the result of a forest conflagration, when, with the assistance of the sand in the soil, the glass came into existence of its own accord.

As the Phœnicians and the Jews were neighbors, proceeds the author, there is very likely an element of truth in both traditions, inasmuch as both people exercised the art of glassmaking at an early age. If the Phœnicians were the first to carry the productions of glass into the world by means of their traders, the Jews did the same, to a greater and more lasting extent. Among the latter there were whole tribes carrying on the making of glass. Most of the glass works existed at the time on the coasts of the Mediterranean, and throughout the whole middle ages, even up to the present time, one kind of glass blowing industry has been in the hands of the Jews, especially in Palestine itself. Many expressions which were common in the glass works at the time are still in use.

But neither the Jews nor the Phœnicians can be looked upon as the inventors of glass. We find, for instance, that the Persians, at the time of Alexander the Great, were also drinking out of glass vessels; that the Assyrians were versed in the art of making glass, as we can prove by discoveries at Nineveh, and also that the art of making glass and of imitating precious stones was known to the ancient Indians. Of great importance with regard to the history of the manufacture of glass are also the ancient Egyptians. When one remembers the great industrial activity of these people, it is not surprising that with reference to the making of glass more numerous traditions of it are recorded by them than by any other people. Not only written, but also figurative representations which are more than 4,000 years old, have been handed down to our time. The wall reliefs in the groves of Beni-Hassan represent the manufacture of glass objects; they represent, among others, two glass blowers at work. They are working with the blowing pipe, which they have dipped into the mass lying between them, and by means of which beautiful glass was manufactured, even at that time, is proved by a crystal glass which is to be found in the Museum of the Louvre. The French as well as the English museums possess numerous artistic productions of that period, at the sight of which one is surprised, as in our time and with our mechanical appliances it is hardly possible to surpass them.—*Feilder's Magazine.*

In Finland and Lapland amber oil is believed to be a certain cure for rheumatism, neuralgia and similar troubles.

A color expert declares that a pure white flower does not exist.

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Tells its own story. A laugh is often a lie on a woman's lips. It belies the pain which is tearing at the nerves. But the eyes have no part in the laugh. Their purple rings speak of suffering. There are lines too about the mouth which only pain can give. Many women look forward to a week of such misery each month. Three months of each year are given up to suffering. It weakens them. It ages them. It robs them of social pleasures and family joys. Can there be any excuse for such women who fail to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription? It has cured thousands of such sufferers. Cured them perfectly and permanently. It cures ninety-eight out of every hundred who give it a fair and faithful trial. *It's sure to help.* It's almost sure to cure.

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1st. Remember that only the mechanical parts of the service are metal and that some of the electricity is governed by a higher power.

2nd. Treat the Employes as you would like to have them treat you.

3rd. When you call always give the number, operators are positively forbidden to answer otherwise unless in case when the party wanted is not listed in your Directory. This will tend to make your service better and will lessen interference on call wire.

4th. If you have no Directory send to the office and get one. The July issue is now in hand undergoing correction and will be ready for delivery July 25th. They will be delivered by one of our employes. Should they miss you, request one and it will come.

5th. When your bells rings and you find no one to answer it ring up Chief Operator No. 390 for an explanation. Don't try to ask this on the Call Wire as there are others besides yourself who desire the time of the line operator and who become very impatient waiting for a connection.

6th. When you want a number take down your receiver, pull your lever down, at the same time listen in and if you hear a rush of calls be just a little patient, your turn to get in your call will come and it will be a pleasure for the operator to serve you.

7th. When the noise around you doesn't interfere with your hearing a party talking to you and the talk is weak call up No. 390, the chief operator, tell her of the weak number and it will receive the necessary attention. Don't abuse the instrument, it can't abuse you back, and again it may be in the person; some of us can be heard over a 'phone better than others and vice versa.

8th. A Telephone service is rendered by many different appliances and interfered with by many local troubles beyond the control of the Telephone employees; a user of the phone for instance is one of the most important factors of the service.

9th. When your bell rings answer it promptly and when through your talk hang your receiver up; if you don't your phone is dead, the operator cannot ring your bell and an impatient caller blames it all on the Exchange.

10th. A subscriber's phone is for their use, it will soon wear your battery out if you let the general public use it and then you will want the Telephone Doctor to come in a hurry and if he can't get to you on the minute you will abuse the instrument and the employes.

11th. Our subscribers are most cordially invited to visit our Exchange any week day between the hours of 8:40 a. m. and 9 p. m. The Manager or Chief Operator will be glad to show them through and endeavor to enlighten them as to some of the many unreasonable "Kicks" that Telephone employes are the recipients of and whereby they are, even in leisure time, deprived of the privilege of plucking happiness from the pathway of pleasure.

12th. Our force is amply large to take care of all our subscribers. We get sick like other people and when such is the case it takes something more than a cheerful worker to fill the vacancy. There are other causes for vacancies. Just try and remember if you have ever been in a place that you couldn't get waited on the moment you entered it and the cause thereof. Each one of our operators answers 100 (one hundred) 'phones, and at times more.

13th. The manager and all of his employes' greatest desire is to serve you, serve you well and promptly to do so their services are to an extent as much yours as they are the company's. Don't insist that we call again and again for the payment of your bill and when you fail to pay it and are dunned get insulted about it. It takes money to run the business. If you can't afford a 'phone say so like a man and some one else will use it.

14th. When you see a Telephone Employe idle its not because they have no work to do, its a time for breath, either that or looking for a delinquent debtor.

15th. Some of our subscribers do not need these suggestions.

16th. 'Tis our wish that these few suggestions may not receive an unintended construction as they are entirely meant for mutual interests. We desire to assure our subscribers of our perfect willingness to serve them and to our best ability and in return therefor we only ask prompt payment and considerate treatment. Don't cuss the company behind its back if your bill is paid. We are always ready to serve you satisfactorily if we can. When you have just cause for complaint call up the Manager at No. 100, or by letter.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 27, 1900.

SCHOONERS.

St Croix, 192 tons, Stratton, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Sarah D Fell, 533 tons, Loveland, Philadelphia, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Navarino, 279 tons, Warner, Havana, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Lois V Chaples, 193 tons, Medero, New York, J T Riley.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, July 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 40½ cents per gallon for machine made casks and dull at 40 cts per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.20 per bbl for strained and $1 25 for good strained.

TAR.—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market easier at $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 40½@40c; rosin steady at 90@95c; tar firm at $1 50; crude turpentine firm at $1.35, $2.10@2.20.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	194
Rosin	547
Tar	41
Crude turpentine	171

Receipts same day last year.—96 casks spirits turpentine, 576 bbls rosin, 91 bbls tar, 28 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing

Same day last year middling steady at 5⅞c.

Receipts—00 bales; same day last year, 00.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm; 53 to 60 cent per bushel.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85c upland, 50@60c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 11 to 12c per pound; shoulders, 8 to 8½c; sides, 10c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to $10.00 per M.

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.

	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs.	110¾	111¼
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	215	220
A. C. L. Common	63	65
A. C. L. preferred	102½	102
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	144½	147
N. C. R. R.	100	102
Delgado Mills	102	103
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co.	70	75
Carolina Insurance Co.	105	107
Underwriters' Insurance Co.	105	107
National Bank of Wilmington	120	...
Atlantic National Bank	101	...
Murchison National Bank	110	114
Wil. Savings & Trust Co.	230	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	112	116
Warren Manufacting Co., preferred	100¾	101½
Abbeville Cotton Mills	100	101½
Southern Cotton Mills	95	98
Piedmont Manufacturing Co.	...	100
Pacolet Manufacturing Co.	98	100
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co (old)	117¾	119
Anderson Cotton Mills	122	126
Pelzer Manufacturing Co.	185	191
Gaffney Manufacturing Co.	124	126
Grendel Cotton Mills	101	103
Clifton Manufacturing Co.	188	194
Orr Manufacturing Co.	104	105½
McColl Manufacturing Co.	125	130
Darlington Manufacturing Co.	97	100
Bennettsville Manufacturing Co.	115	117½

BONDS.

N. C. 4's	105¾	106½
N. C. 6's	135	136½
City Wilm. 5's, gold, 1922	110	112
City Wilm. 5's, 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	100	...
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	105	...
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	...	100½
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 5's	85	...
A. C. L. 4's, certs	97	99
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	113½	117
Wilmington & Newbern 4's	101	103¾
N. H. County 5's, gold	100	103
Wilmington, gold 4's	90	101

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Money on call steady at 1¼@1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼ for demand and 483¾ for sixty days. Posted rates 484½@485 and 488@488½. Commercial bills 483@483½. Silver certificates 61@62¼. Bar silver 60¼. Mexican dollars 48. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U.S. refunding 2's reg'd, 104½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104½; U. S. 2's, reg'd, 100; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109¾; do. coupon, 110½; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 132½; do. coupon, 133¾; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 116¼; do. coupon, 115¼; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113½; do. coupon, 114¼; Southern Railway 5's 108½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 73½c; Chesapeake & Ohio 27½c; Manhattan L 90½; N. Y. Central 128¾; Reading 16¾; do. 1st pref'd 58¾; St. Paul 110½; do. pref'd 171; Southern Railway 10½; do. pref'd 51¾; American Tobacco, 96½; do. pref'd 128; People's Gas 98¾; Sugar 126¼; do. pref'd 116½; T. C. & Iron 70; U. S. Leather 10¾; do. preferred 68½; Western Union 79¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine weak at 44½@45c.

CHARLESTON, July 26.—Spirits turpentine steady at 41c; sales 25 casks. Rosin firm; sales — casks. Quotations unchanged.

SAVANNAH, July 26.—Spirits turpentine quoted firm; sales 1,783 casks; receipts 1,076 casks; exports — casks. Rosin firm; sales 3,064 barrels; receipts 2,630 barrels; exports — barrels. Quotations unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Headway in either direction was insignificant on the Cotton Exchange to day. Strong bull or bear leaders were lacking; orders from the speculative public were scarce; influences at work were too conflicting to afford a basis of confident trading by longs or shorts, and the foreign conditions were such as to caution extreme care in the making of further commitments. The market started quiet, with prices down two to three points and soon sank a point or so further, under Southern and local selling pressure. By the close of the first hour the early decline had been supplanted by a net rise of two to four points on a flurry of profit-taking and demand for the January option by the foreign contingent. By mid day, however, the market was again very dull and back to the close of yesterday. In the afternoon values changed scarcely a hair's breadth while the customary scramble to execute eleventh hour orders failed to materially affect prices at the close. The cables from Liverpool were disappointing and all news from the cotton country was friendly to the bear side. The market finished the day steady in tone with prices net two higher to three points lower.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 10 1-16c.

Cotton futures market steady: July 9.84, August 9.25, September 8.70, October 8.39, November 8.26, December 8.23, January 8.23, February 8.25, March 8.36, April 8.30, May 8.33.

Spot cotton closed 1-16c lower; middling uplands 10 1-16c; middling gulf 10 5-16c; sales 700 bales.

Net receipts 55 bales; gross receipts 832 bales; stock 36,383 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 2,012 bales; exports to Great Britain 8,535 bales; exports to the Continent 851; stock 141,843 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 21,335 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,569 bales; exports to France 5,185 bales; exports to the Continent 851 bales.

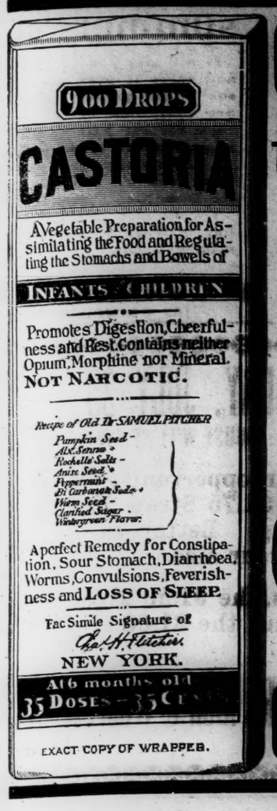
Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,466,402 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,563,159 bales; exports to France 693,029 bales; exports to the Continent 2,673,955 bales.

July 26.—Galveston, quiet at 9½c, net receipts 11 bales; Norfolk, steady at 10c, net receipts 416 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 10¼c, net receipts 334 bales; Wilmington, nothing doing, no receipts; Philadelphia, quiet and dull at 10 5 16, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 769 bales; New Orleans, easy at 10⅜c, net receipts 769 bales; Mobile, nominal at 9¾c, net receipts 2 bales; Memphis, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 16 bales; Augusta, firm at 9¾c, net receipts 5 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9½c, net receipts 1 bale.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Flour—Spring patents were dull and moderately active and steady. New flour is said to be of fine quality. Minnesota patents $4 15@4 50 Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 82⅞c. Options, after a firm opening on cables, declined all forenoon under liquidation, a reaction in English markets, Northwest selling and absence of outside support. This, in turn, was succeeded by a final sharp rally on rumors of a large cash business. Closed firm and ⅛c higher. No. 2 red July closed 81⅝c; September closed 80⅜c; December closed 81⅞c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 44⅞@45c. Options opened steady with wheat, after which it yielded to bearish crop conditions, easier cables and considerable liquidation. Finally rallied on a demand from shorts, closing firm at a partial ½c net advance; July closed 44¾; September closed 43¾c; December closed 40¾c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2 27¾c; options dull and steady. Lard easier; Western steam $7 05



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Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the Close of Business June 29th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans	$ 771,179.73
Overdrafts	252.50
U. S. Bonds (at par)	215,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from app'd res've ag'ts $127,965.57	
Due from other banks 174,879.74	
Cash on hand 87,593.60	390,439.00
Total	$1,388,001.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	107,963.78
Circulation	65,000.00
Deposits U. S. Treas. $150,375.00	
Deposits Banks 114,094.77	
Deposits from individuals 814,527.68	1,089,437.45
Total	$1,388,001.23

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	June 29 '98.	June 29, '99.	June 29, 1900
Total deposits	$560,500	$847,700	$1,089,400
Surplus and net profits	79,700	92,700	107,900
U.S. bonds at par	40,100	95,600	216 100

Dividends Paid—6 Per Cent. Per Annum.

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FIELD AND GARDEN

VARIETIES OF POTATOES.

New or Notable Kinds Tested at the Ohio Station.

The following varieties of potatoes comprise a partial list of those on trial at the Ohio experiment station the past season, the majority having been planted three seasons or more. Those are included concerning which there is most interest at present, either because they are new or have been brought prominently before the public in various ways.

Acme.—An early variety, resembling the Early Ohio, but rather more prolific, its average for three seasons being about 10 per cent above the Early Ohio. It ripens at about the same time as the Early Ohio.

Bovee.—An early white variety with pink markings. It stands second in the list of early sorts as to productiveness. It is commonly ranked with the Early Ohio as to earliness, but it should be rated as a few days later. Its average yield for three years is about 40 per cent above the Early Ohio.

Carman No. 3.—A well known second early or late white variety, similar in habit of growth and shape of tubers to the Rural New Yorker No. 2, but rather more prolific. The tubers are smooth and uniform in size, and nearly all are marketable. It is regarded as one of the best of its class for market, but as only second rate in quality.

Commercial.—A new midseason, pink variety of considerable promise. The tubers are of good size, regular in shape and smooth. It has been on trial here two seasons and has given satisfactory yields.

Early Trumbull.—An early white variety of recent introduction. It stands at the head of the list in productiveness of early varieties on trial here for the past three years, giving an average of 271 bushels per acre. While it is not alike successful in all localities, it appears to have given general satisfaction. Its season of ripening is with the Early Rose and Early Harvest. Heretofore Bovee and Early Harvest have stood at the head of early varieties in our trials, but the Early Trumbull must now be accorded first place.

Early Michigan.—Another early white sort which has made a good record quite generally. Its average yield is a little below that of Early Harvest.

Enormous.—A very prolific, late white variety. It is one of the heaviest yielding varieties thus far tested at the station, its average for three years being 297 bushels per acre, or about 19 per cent above the combined average of Carman No. 3, Sir Walter Raleigh and Uncle Sam and 33 per cent above Carman No. 3. It is, however, not quite as smooth as Sir Walter Raleigh and Carman No. 3, but not rough enough to impair its market value.

Green Bay Triumph.—A white skinned variety of the same shape as Bliss Triumph and ripening at the same time. It has been tested here one season only, but gave a higher yield than any others of its class. It is a clearer white than the White Bliss Triumph and is worthy of commendation.

Livingston.—A white variety with pink eyes. It has given uniformly good yields here and is generally satisfactory.

Pingree.—An early white variety with occasional markings. It has been on trinl here two seasons only. It has given satisfactory yields, but does not keep as well as most other early varieties.

Uncle Sam.—A late white variety which has uniformly given good yields here. It is one of the best for late spring use that have been tried here. It gives about the same yields as Carman No. 3, but is not so smooth.

White Mountain.—A late white variety which has been on trial here two seasons and has given good yields, standing near the head of the list in this respect.

Whiton's White Mammoth.—Another late white sort of unusual merit. One year's experience with it indicates that it is a good cropper. The tubers are smooth, uniform in size and nearly all marketable.

A'Horn Fly Remedy.

Fish oil applied with a brush is one of the leading remedies for horn fly. The Kansas station, while indorsing fish oil, gives a formula for a remedy which it considers cheaper, as effective and often more lasting. This is as follows: Pulverized rosin, two parts, by measure; soap shavings, one part; water, one-half part; fish oil, one part; oil of tar, one part; kerosene, one part; water, three parts. Place the rosin, soap shavings, one-half part of water and fish oil together in a receptacle and boil till the rosin is dissolved. Then add the three parts of water, following with the oil of tar mixed with the kerosene. Stir the mixture well and allow it to boil for 15 minutes. When cool, the mixture is ready for use and should be stirred frequently while being applied.

A Natural Bridge in Arizona.

Natural bridge, on Pine creek, in the northern part of Gila county, is one of the greatest natural curiosities in the United States, equaling if not surpassing the Natural bridge of Virginia. It spans the creek at a height of about 200 feet, and the walls of the canyon rise above it on either side 700 or 800 feet and on one side form a perpendicular precipice. The bridge is of lime formation, and the inside of the great arch, which is some 250 feet across, is worn by the water as smooth as though chiseled by the skillful hand of a stonemason. The arch on top is nearly, if not quite, 400 feet in width, 1,000 feet in length across the canyon and at the thinnest part only six feet through. About the center of the arch is a hole large enough to admit the body of a man and through which one can look down into the crystal pool of water 200 feet below.—Globe (A. T.) Silver Belt.

Fright, Not Fascination.

Naturalists are not at all agreed upon the point as to whether snakes are able to fascinate their prey. Certainly they do not possess the power to the extent that popular belief would have it. Stories of the weird and mystic influence of a serpent's eye fall flat in the face of scientific accuracy. What can be said of snakes, however, is that their very appearance paralyzes the victim. It cannot move for fright, for its faculties are temporarily suspended. There is no fascination about this, however. It is fright, and fright alone.

A Nice Cousin.

Jack—You know when Mabel rejected me last week I told you my troubles, and you promised to help me. Well, she accepted me last night. Am I to thank you for interceding for me? Cousin Belle—Not exactly, dear boy. I simply intimated to Mabel that I was after you myself.—Philadelphia Press.

BE A GOOD BOY! GOODBY!

Slow oft in my dreams I go back to the day
When I stood at our old wooden gate
And started to school in full battle array,
Well armed with a primer and slate,
And as the hitch fell, I thought myself free
And gloried, I fear, on the sly,
Till I heard a kind voice that whispered to me:
"Be a good boy! Goodby!"

"Be a good boy! Goodby!" It seems
They have followed me all these years;
They have given form to my youthful dreams
And scattered my foolish fears;
They have staid my feet on many a brink,
Unseen by a blinding eye,
For just in time I would pause and think:
"Be a good boy! Goodby!"

Oh, brother of mine, in the battle of life,
Just starting or nearing its close,
This motto aloft, in the midst of the strife,
Will conquer wherever it goes!
Mistakes you will make, for each of us errs,
But, brother, just honestly try
To accomplish your best. In whatever occurs
"Be a good boy! Goodby!"

—John L. Shroy in Saturday Evening Post.

A PARTIALLY OBEYED ORDER

The Reporter Returned, but the Mule Was a Total Loss.

Harmon W. Brown of Ohio, who held a responsible place on the staff of General Rawlins during the civil war, tells the following story of the general's treatment of an intrusive reporter:

"One day before Vicksburg the correspondent of a certain paper went to General Rawlins for news.

"The general pondered a moment and took me one side.

"'Take this young man,' he said, 'up to the top of those trenches within a stone's throw of the enemy. Take him up there and lose him. I don't care what happens. Understand?'

"I said I did, and we started through the lines. Both of us were mounted. I pointed out a crest overlooking the enemy and told him he could get a good view from that point.

"'Ain't you coming with me?' he asked.

"'No,' I replied. 'I know all I want to know.'

"So he started alone. As soon as the top of his hat and the tips of his mule's ears showed above the crest there came a volley of musketry ten yards wide that cut the air like a big knife blade. The crown of his hat was sliced off as with shears. He managed to drop to the ground in safety, but the persevering mule was literally filled with lead. After the firing ceased the correspondent crawled to the spot where I was.

"'Did you learn what you wanted to know?' I asked.

"'Eh?' gasped the correspondent, wiping his face and looking at his hands to see whether they were bloody. 'What I wanted to know? Oh, yes, of course. The enemy are over that ridge all right.'

"When we returned to headquarters, General Rawlins saw us and hailed me. I went inside his tent.

"'I thought I told you to lose that confounded reporter somewhere,' he said testily.

"'I did the best I could, sir,' I answered. 'He came back, but I have the honor to report the mule a total loss.'"—Saturday Evening Post.

What Joseph Was.

The Sunday school teacher had been telling the class about Joseph, particularly with reference to his coat of many colors and how his father rewarded him for being a good boy, for Joseph, she said, told his father whenever he caught any of his brothers in the act of doing wrong.

"Can any little boy or girl tell me what Joseph was?" the teacher asked, hoping that some of them had caught the idea that he was Jacob's favorite.

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DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.15 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.28 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.44 P. M., Chadbourn 5.55 P. M., Marion 6.30 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.55 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †7.00 P. M., New York †9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.30 A. M., Baltimore 2.53 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.22 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.38 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 2.30 P. M., Weldon 9.05 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.25 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.28 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.25 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P. M No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.10 A. M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 2.10 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M. Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.29 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.05 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M. Maxton 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.46 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.58 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4.55 P. M., Halifax 5.17 P. M., arrive Scotland Neck 5.58 P. M., Greenville 6.37 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.59 A. M. Greenville 8.38 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.15 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 3.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Sm

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 27, 1900.

REIGN OF TERROR IN CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

Negroes Chased From the Streets by Mobs of Whites—Police Helpless—The Militia Called Out.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, July 26.—Disorderly scenes following the rioting of last night prevailed throughout the city to-day and resulted in the swearing in by the mayor of five hundred special policemen and the ordering out of 1,500 State militia, Governor Heard responding promptly to the appeal of Mayor Capdevielle, for assistance in suppressing the existing lawlessness and in preventing to night a recurrence of the violence of last night Throughout the day, attacks were made by irresponsible mobs of whites upon the black element and the negroes before nightfall had been effectually chased from the streets. The effect of the disorders was to put a practical stop to business in the wholesale districts and on the levee front. As this meant a serious crippling of the trade of the port, the business element rallied in force and hundreds of the most prominent men of the city responded to the appeal of the mayor for assistance in preserving order.

The Casualties.

A summary of the casualties growing out of the disturbances last night and to day shows that one negro was beaten to death, six were so badly wounded that their lives are despaired of and a score of people, white and black, male and female, have been more or less seriously wounded.

In order to prevent the miscellaneous distribution of arms, the mayor this evening ordered the closing of gun shops likely to supply the baser elements, and early in the day, for the better preservation of the public peace, issued orders to the public to close up every saloon in the city. Col. Wood, who commanded the First Louisiana regiment in the Spanish war, was placed in command of the special police.

Police Practically Helpless.

The police have been practically helpless during the disturbance. The force consists of some three hundred, men, including clerks and telegraph operators, and this is manifestly inadequate to the preservation of peace of a city of 310,000 people. But aside from this, the indignation among the members of the department over the ruthless murder of Captain Day and patrolman Lamb by the negro Robert Charles, to some extent made the police sympathetic with the mobs in their pretended efforts to avenge the murders. The fact that there has been a strong resentment on the part of the working people against steamship agents and contractors in the employment of negro labor to the exclusion of whites on public works and on the levee fronts, also contributed somewhat, it is believed, to the disinclination of the police to do their full duty.

Mayor Capdevielle was at Ocean Springs last night when the mobs swept over the city, but when he arrived at his office to day he came with a full determination to take hold of the situation with a firm hand. He found awaiting him a delegation of the leading merchants of the city, who said the interests of the community and its commercial welfare demanded prompt and vigorous action.

The Disorders Suppressed.

Late this afternoon Mayor Capdeville issued a proclamation which had an excellent effect. It called upon all good citizens not enrolled in the special police to go to their homes or places of business and remain there. They were also warned and advised not to assemble or idle about the streets. The police, general and special, were ordered to disperse all crowds and to arrest all disorderly persons. They were especially ordered, after 7 P. M., to arrest all persons found loafing or idling about the streets. As a result of the proclamation to-night few people were on the streets.

All the various exchanges this afternoon expressed that the Associated Press might make it public to the world that the present emeute was one that was sincerely deprecated. The local business bodies are much opposed to the importation here of large numbers of negroes to work on the levees or the public works, but while they are of that opinion, they are very much opposed to violent methods in dealing with the negro population. Only the worst elements have participated in the disorders.

Mayor Capedevielle to-day sent to Chief Gaster a request to ascertain the names of those who participated in the disorders of yesterday, last night and to-day, with a view to their prompt and rigorous prosecution. Chief Gaster said he believed the worst of the trouble was over and that by to-morrow the city would resume its normal condition.

The mayor will probably spend the night at the city hall in order that he may be within call in the event of any need for his services.

At 11 o'clock the city is quieter than on ordinary nights. There is a report of the capture of Charles, the slayer of Police Captain Day, near the city. He will be protected and given a trial in court, the authorities being determined not to permit any lynching, no matter how much force is required

FIGHTING IN THE PHILIPPINES

Eighty-nine Natives Killed in the Town of Oroquieta—Trouble in Northern Mindanao.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, July 26.—At Oroquieta, in Northern Mindanao, two soldiers entered a native store for the purpose of buying food. While there one of them was killed by a bolo and his head severed from his body. The other escaped and gave the alarm. A company of the Fortieth infantry, stationed at Cayagan, repaired to Oroquieta and killed eighty-nine natives, thirty of them being in a single house. Subsequently the gunboat Callao, commanded by Lieutenant George H. Bradshaw, shelled Oroquieta, burning the warehouses. One of the crew was killed.

A force of the enemy, estimated at five hundred, under the leadership of Alvarez, formerly the insurgent President of Yarbranga, is now persistently troubling Northern Mindanao. A marine at the outpost of Isabella de Basilan was boloed by natives and so badly wounded that he died. Isabella is tranquil.

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CHINESE FORCES CONCENTRATING.

Active Preparations Being Made for War Against the Foreign Powers.

MORE HORRIBLE MASSACRES.

Disturbances in Southern China—Trade in Shanghai Paralyzed—Arrival of Admiral Seymour—Naval Vessels—Li Hung Chang.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 26.—The Shanghai correspondent of the *Daily Express* says:

"Li Hung Chang now states that some of the members of the legations have already left Pekin and may be expected shortly. He is becoming angry at the skepticism of the consuls.

"The impression is gaining ground here that the ministers of the powers to whom China has appealed for mediation may still be alive.

"The Americans here are indignant over the fact that United States Consul Goodnow has entered into relations with Earl Li; but Mr. Goodnow defends his action on the ground that he is following the instructions of his government.

"Trade in Shanghai is so paralyzed that the customs revenue will not suffice to secure the payment of the next installment of the foreign loan.

Active War Preparations.

"Meanwhile active preparations in the Yangtse region for war are in progress, not for war against the rebels, but against foreign powers. Junk loads of Chinese soldiers and Boxers, disguised as coolies, are arriving here daily. The arsenal is full of arms and supplies are constantly coming in. The Nankin and Wu Chang garrisons are being constantly reinforced and the viceroys admit that they cannot much longer withstand the pressure brought to bear by Sheng and Li Hung Chang upon them to join forces with Prince Tuan.

"It is hoped that the arrival of Admiral Seymour here may stiffen the backs of the southern viceroys and restore the security of the port.

English Ladies Murdered.

"Two English missionary ladies, Miss Whitchurch and Miss Searel have been murdered at Hsia Oi, in the province of Shan Si. Massacres are also reported from Tai Yuan and Pao Ting Fu."

Chinese Concentrating.

It is reported from Tien Tsin that the Chinese forces are concentrating at the village of Gets Lang, ten miles north of Tien Tsin, where, it is said large quantities of rice are stored.

The Russian and Japanese cavalry are keeping in close touch with the enemy. The river is still low, and water transport would be difficult.

With reference to the control of the railway, it is understood that Mr. Kinder, the British engineer, has arranged with the Chinese general for the protection of the line beyond Pei Tang. Therefore, Russian control could only apply to the Tien Tsin Taku and Pei Tang sections. If this arrangement is disturbed, it is understood that the destruction of the line is inevitable.

There is an unconfirmed Chinese report that sixty Protestant and Catholic missionaries have been massacred in Ki Yuan Fu and the vicinity.

The Massacre at Mukden.

The Shanghai correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, describing the massacre at Mukden, says: "The bishop had armed 200 converts to defend the cathedral, and a body of Chinese troops had been sent to defend the converts; but the soldiers were leagued with the Boxers. While the Christians were holding a service, believing themselves safe under the protection of the troops, the signal was given, and soldiers and Boxers surrounded and set fire to the church, putting the escaping worshipers to the sword. The bishop was captured and taken to the viceroy's yamen, where he was diabolically tortured and decapitated. His head now hangs in front of the yamen.

More Massacres.

The Hong Kong correspondent of the *Daily Express* wires as follows:

An Italian priest has just arrived here from Hen Sien Fu, in Southern Huan, where the Italian bishop and three priests have been massacred after revolting torture. This took place on July 4th. Six hundred converts were massacred after the women had been subjected to hideous brutalities. Six other priests fled to the hills where they were probably killed. The priest who escaped had a perilous journey to Hong Kong. He hid in a coffin on board a river boat for seventeen days.

In the House of Lords to-day the bill prohibiting the exportation of arms and amunitions of war passed its third reading.

Situation at Canton.

The Canton correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph*, in a dispatch dated Wednesday, says:

"There are daily arrests of Boxers and smugglers, caught loaded with arms and ammunition. Executions quickly follow but the rowdy element remains practically undismayed. In the country districts, the people are more threatening and bold than in the city. Their inflammatory placards are freely posted.

Seymour at Shanghai.

SHANGHAI, July 26.—Admiral Seymour has arrived here and has been in consultation with the British consul regarding the situation.

The following warships are here: British—Daphne, Alacruy, Hart and Woodcock; American—Castine; Dutch—Holland; French—Surprise; Japanese—Takao and Akagi.

It is reported that Li Hung Chang intends to leave for Foo Chow, from which point he could easily go to Nankin or Pekin overland.

Should the southern viceroys yield to anti-foreign influence there will be a severe struggle. The Yangtse Kian is being strongly fortified with the newest guns, manned by German-drilled artillerymen.

It is reported here from Tokio that 15,000 Japanese troops landed at Shan Hai Kwan on July 22d and gained a victory, the Chinese retreating after a feeble resistance.

Dissension Among the Powers.

BERLIN, July 26.—The German Foreign Office, which has received no additional news from China to-day, points out that the conditions for mediation demanded by President McKinley, published in Berlin this morning, place the United States in substantially the same position as Germany and France.

Nevertheless, the German press continues to assert that the Washington government is trying to part company with the powers. The *Freisinnige Zeitung* remarks: "All the powers, with one exception, refuse to be deceived longer by Chinese double-dealing. That exception is the United States, which has formally abandoned the concert of the powers."

Another circumstance which has made a bad impression here is the refusal of the American and British admirals to give Russia control over the railroad to Tien Tsin. The *Berliner Tageblatt* says that this refusal is a proof of dissension among the powers and can only encourage the Chinese.

ON THE RUSSIAN BORDER.

Chinese Raiding and Looting in the Yalu Valley—Russian Steamers With Troops Attacked.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 26.—The Russian agent at Hankow telegraphs under date of July 23 as follows:

Foreigners are in a constant state of panic, owing to the hostility of the natives, who are affected by the events in the northern provinces. The American and British consuls have recommended their respective people to send their families to Shanghai. Nevertheless there are no symptoms that serious disturbances are impending. The viceroy has taken all necessary measures to protect foreigners and re assure Chinese..

The Russian minister at Seoul, M. Paviloff reports that the Russian detachment which left Port Arthur en-route to Pyong Yang, reaching Jiju Sunday, July 22, has arrived at Pyong Yang with the loss of fifteen killed and many wounded. They fought their way through opposing natives at the point of the bayonet.

General Grodekoff, in a dispatch dated at Chabarovsk, Tuesday, July 24th, states that a detachment of railway guards safely brought a caravan of 230 persons and officials from the railway to Seurghaitu. Chinese troops, General Grodekoff adds, are raiding and looting in the Yalu valley.

Another steamer with Russian troops aboard was bombarded by Chinese from the river bank July 24th. Securing reinforcements, the Russian commander returned to the scene and landed on the Chinese side of the Yalu river. He attacked the Chinese posts in the face of heavy fire. Some Chinese pickets were taken prisoners. The magazines were set on fire and exploded. The Chinese lost three hundred killed, while the Russians' loss was only seven.

A desultory bombardment of Blagovestchensk continues.

The town of Aguin has been set on fire by the Russians.

The Chinese at Sagahelien have been compelled to retreat and take a fresh entrenched position.

Cossacks have destroyed the Chinese pickets at Nikolsk, Kuprianovesk and Starvihovak.

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"TRIADS" CAUSING ALARM.

Secret Society in Southern China—Ramifications Widespread—Threatening Canton and Hong Kong.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

HONG KONG, July 26.—The signs of menacing activity on the part of the secret society known as the "Triads" are causing alarm. The "Boxers" are believed to be an off-shoot of the "Triads," whose ramifications are widespread throughout the southern provinces of China. The organization is distinctly anti-foreign and anti-Manchuria, and numbers of Canton troops are enrolled in its ranks.

A report is current in Canton that the "Triads" are preparing for a night attack on the Shamen, and that the first sign will be the absconding of native servants. The greatest apprehension prevails, although at present Canton is quiet.

Many "Triads" have been arrested in Hong Kong during the last few months. A Chinaman who was arrested on July 8th on a charge of carrying arms, was to-day committed for trial on the charge of being a member of the "Triads." The evidence showed that he has held the rank of second in command in the organization in the two Kwangs, with headquarters at Sai Kung, a new territory, where he had been active in enrolling members. His arrest, therefore, is one of the greatest importance. The insignia found upon his person includes the highest degrees.

An opium farmer has received a telegram asserting that Li Hung Chang is unable to proceed to Pekin, and will return to Canton, probably calling at Hong Kong on the way.

THE GOLD DEMOCRATS.

National Committee Announces That a Vigorous Campaign Will be Made.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 26.—At a business meeting of the national committee of the National Democrats today Charles Tracey, of New York, was elected chairman, to succeed George F. Peabody, of New York, who resigned because of illness. It was decided to establish headquarters in Indianapolis. The committee announces that it will carry on a vigorous campaign in the "interest of sound money."

Authority was given the new chairman to fill the vacancy on the executive committee caused by the resignation of W. B. Haldeman, of Louisville, and also the vacancy on the national committee caused by the reignation of Louis R. Ehrich, of Colorado.

The committee then adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

BRYAN AT HOME.

Gratified at the Outcome of Fusion Conventions in Kansas.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLN, NEB., July 26.—Hon. W. J. Bryan had no visitors of prominence to-day and spent most of the afternoon at his farm cottage with his stenographer. He finds this the best place to work on campaign material. Mr. Bryan expressed gratification at the outcome of the Fusion conventions in Kansas.

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LITTLE CHANGE IN CHINESE SITUATION

Steadily Growing Doubt As to the Good Faith of the Chinese Government.

IN SYMPATHY WITH BOXERS.

Admiral Kempff's Statement—Viceroy Taku's Edict Looks Like a Preliminary to Declaration of War. Chinese Playing for Time.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, July 26.—There were no developments to-day to warrant the assumption that there has been the slightest improvement in the Chinese situation. Indeed, the general tendency of such news as found light was to add to the steadily growing doubt as to the good faith of the Chinese government as manifested in its acts. Admiral Kempff's letter, given publicity by the Navy Department to day, made the direct statement that the imperial authorities were in sympathy with the Boxers, though he added that the government was afterward paralyzed and incapable of controlling the situation. This was the first official declaration to reach our government contradictory of the Chinese representations that the imperial government had steadfastly and from the first opposed the Boxer movement, and our government is bound to accept the word of its own officer until that is overcome by irrefragable proof. Then the exchanges that are in constant progress between the powers are tending more and more to cast suspicion upon the genuineness of the many communications that have come from Pekin through Chinese governmental sources. If it should be finally established that there has been an attempt on their part to practice a gigantic fraud upon the world, the fact may call for a change of attitude on the part of the United States government toward China. This would not affect the military policy already under way, but merely the technical relations between the two governments, which probably would closely approximate a state of formal war.

A Disagreeable Impression.

The imperial edict promulgated yesterday by Viceroy Taku at Canton has left a disagreeable impression here. Despite the Chinese minister's view to the contrary, this edict is looked upon as suspiciously like a preliminary to a formal declaration of war, and as only one step toward securing time to move Chinese forces into better position for defence against the internationals.

The Navy Department to-day contributed a brief news item in the shape of a vindication by Admiral Remey of the United States marines from the general charge of looting at Tien Tsin. The admiral had a good deal more than this to report to the Navy Department, but the officials did not regard the rest of his report as proper for publication just now. General Miles and General Buffington were again in consultation, though separately, with Secretary Root to-day and the supposition is that the Chinese campaign was under consideration.

Cablegram for Remey.

The Navy Department this morning received the following cablegram from Admiral Remey:

"*Taku, July 24, Che Foo, July 25.*—Bureau Navigation, Washington—Colonel Meade condemned, Mare Island hospital, rheumatism. Major Waller succeeds command First regiment. My obtainable information clears marines of any imputation of burning houses or looting Tien Tsin.

(Signed) "REMEY."

Sympathy With Boxers.

The Navy Department has just made public a report from Admiral Kempff, dated June 20th, in which he says:

"Referring to my recent action in declining to take part in the seizure of the Taku forts, and in afterward making common cause with the foreign forces in the protection of foreign life and property, I would respectfully state that the Chinese government is now paralyzed and the secret edicts show that it is in sympathy with the Boxers.

"It is now necessary to join with the other foreign powers for common defence and preservation of foreign people and the honor of our country."

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THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Boston--Boston-Pittsburg game postponed on account of rain.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn-St. Louis game postponed on account of rain.

New York—New York-Cincinnati game postponed on account of rain.

Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Chicago game postponed on account of rain.

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SOUTH AFRICA WAR.

Boers Hotly Contest the British Advance. General Hunter Forced to Retire With Severe Loss.

By Cable to the Morning Star

LONDON, July 26.—Lord Roberts reports to the War Office, under date of Balmoral, July 25th, as follows:

"We marched here yesterday without seeing the enemy.

"The Boers on July 24th engaged French and Hutton, six miles south of Balmoral. While Anderson's mounted infantry attacked the Boers right, French made a turning movement around their left. Seeing their retreat threatened, the Boers' broke and fled. French and Hutton followed and proposed to cross Oliphants river to day at Naauwpoert.

"Our casualties were one wounded."

Lord Roberts reports to the war office to-day that General Archibald Hunter's command was heavily engaged July 24 and 25 in the hills south of Bethlehem. The Boers were strongly entrenched and fought stubbornly throughout the 24th, and compelled the British to retire from some of their positions with about fifty casualties. At last accounts General Hunter had worked around into Brandwater basin, in the rear of the Boers, while General Hector MacDonald and General Bruce Hamilton were blocking outlets on the front of the Federals, who had evacuated their position at Witnek.

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ASHANTI CAMPAIGN.

A Large War Camp at Kokofu Captured by the British.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BECKWAI, ASHANTI, July 26.—Colonel Moreland, under instructions from Colonel Willcox, with a force of infantry and five guns, attacked a large war camp at Kokofu. With a brilliant charge the stockades were rushed before the enemy had time to occupy them and therefore they were forced to evacuate the town. A very large amount of ammunition and arms were captured. The town was then razed, thus removing an important obstacle on Col. Wilcox's flank.

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

Steamer From Alaskan Ports Caught in a Storm and Capsized.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., July 26.—A special to the *Times* from Victoria, B. C., says passengers who arrived here to day on the steamer Cottage City from Alaskan ports report that an unconfirmed rumor was circulated at Juneau when they left that port to the effect that the stern wheeler, Florence III, had been caught in a storm on Lake Labarge and was capsized. There were 150 passengers on board and forty are said to have lost their lives.

WARM WIRELETS

The second day of the Epworth Leaguers' first biennial convention in Atlanta was given up to addresses of prominent delegates.

The Corean government denies the published stories that the Boxer movement had extended to Corea or that any Chinese Boxers had crossed the frontier.

The State Department has received a dispatch from Consul General Gudger, Panama, announcing the collapse of the revolutionary movement; that the Liberals unexpectedly surrendered, and that quiet now prevails at Panama.

General Sternberger says that one hundred additional medical officers are wanted by the Surgeon General for duty in the Philippines and China. Only graduates of reputable medical colleges, with some experience and under forty years of age will be accepted.

A special session of the Grand Division of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers will be held at St. Louis, October 1, for the purpose of settling certain differences which have arisen between officers of the organization, and for the purpose of making changes in the laws of the order.

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Notice—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held in the city of Wilmington, N. C., at the office of the Secretary, room No. 7, Masonic Temple, on Tuesday, August 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 18 td

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